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Applicants petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) to withdraw the above-captioned application from issue to permit consideration of the attached Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and accompanying Information Disclosure Statement.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the petition fee of \$130.00, as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h), and any other fee that may be required, to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

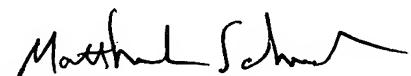
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